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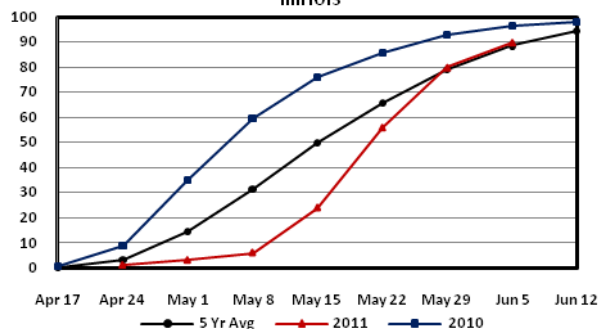
Agricultural Summary

Sun and heat were good for crops across the state. The average statewide temperature was 76.1 degrees, 8.1 degrees above normal. Average statewide precipitation was below normal at 0.71 inches. The norm for the time period is 0.91 inches. With 4.0 days suitable for fieldwork, more farmers finished planting. Standing water, however, remained a problem in areas and some fields were drying slowly in spite of the heat. Some seedling disease was noted in locations with excess rain. Hay was mowed, but many farmers were having difficulty cutting alfalfa due to excess moisture. Topsoil moisture was 3 percent short, 67 percent adequate and 30 percent surplus. Corn planted increased to 98 percent. This compares with 94 percent planted the previous week. Ninety percent of the corn crop had emerged as compared to 80 percent the previous week. Soybeans planted jumped to 78 percent, up from 59 percent planted the previous week. Fifty-three percent of soybeans had emerged as compared to 30 percent the previous week. Winter wheat was 91 percent filled and 48 percent turning yellow. Wheat conditions were 4 percent very poor, 9 percent poor, 31 percent fair, 44 percent good and 12 percent excellent.

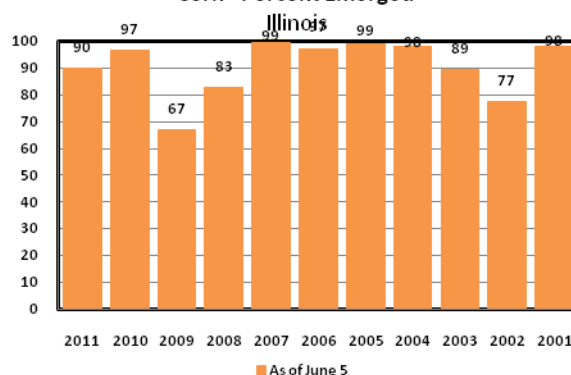
Crop Progress Percents

	This Week	Last Week	2010	5-Year Average
June 5				
CORN:				
Planted	98	94	100	96
Emerged	90	80	97	89
Height (inches)	9	5	16	12
SOYBEANS:				
Planted	78	59	81	76
Emerged	53	30	66	56
SORGHUM:				
Planted	42	7	51	43
WHEAT:				
Headed	99	93	97	96
Filled	91	69	79	77
Turning yellow	48	15	42	44
Ripe	2	1	1	4
OATS:				
Headed	39	19	75	44
Filled	12	4	23	13
ALFALFA:				
First cut	57	28	74	63
Second cut	2	1	5	3
RED CLOVER:				
Cut	48	26	50	49

Corn - Percent Emerged
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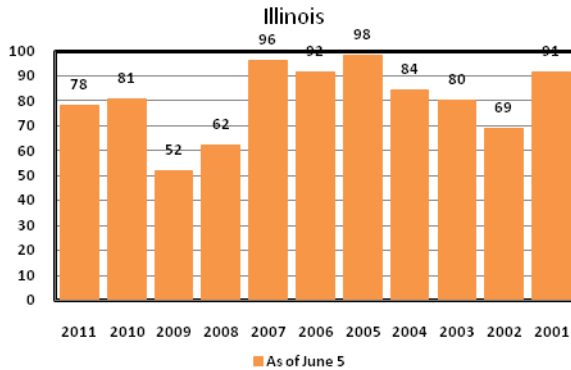
Crop Condition Percents

Crop	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
June 5					
Corn	2	6	26	52	14
Soybeans	1	5	33	52	9
Winter Wheat	4	9	31	44	12
Oats	1	3	28	60	8
Alfalfa	-	2	18	68	12
Red Clover	-	1	36	54	9
Pasture	-	2	16	62	20

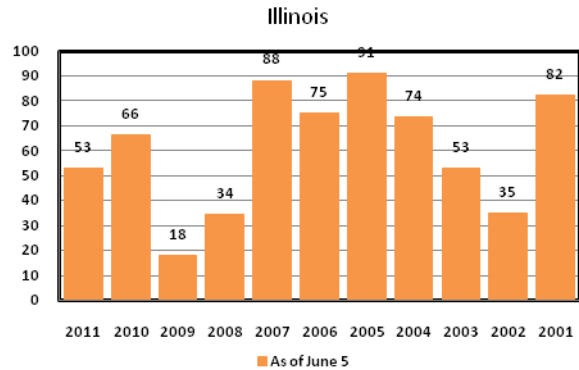
Days Suitable for Fieldwork and Topsoil Moisture Percents

District	Days Suitable For Fieldwork	Topsoil Moisture Percents			
		Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
May 30 - June 5		June 5			
Northwest	4.1	-	4	72	24
Northeast	3.7	-	2	79	19
West	1.6	-	-	51	49
Central	3.0	-	-	72	28
East	3.5	-	-	67	33
W Southwest	4.3	-	1	59	40
E Southeast	5.3	-	2	76	22
Southwest	6.2	1	5	60	34
Southeast	6.7	-	19	68	13
State	4.0	-	3	67	30

Soybeans - Percent Planted



Soybeans - Percent Emerged

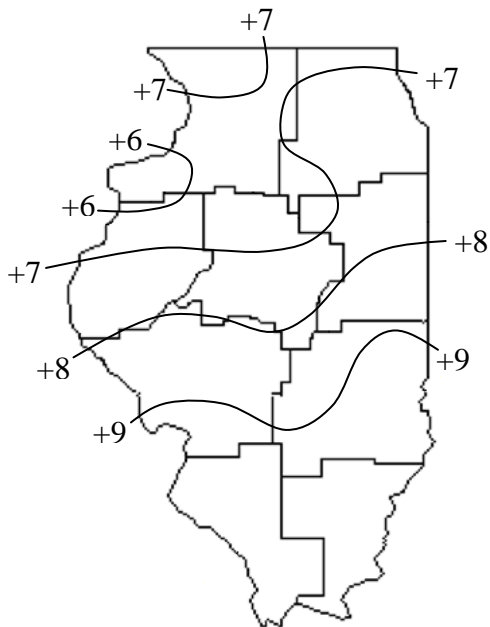


Crop Progress Percents by Districts

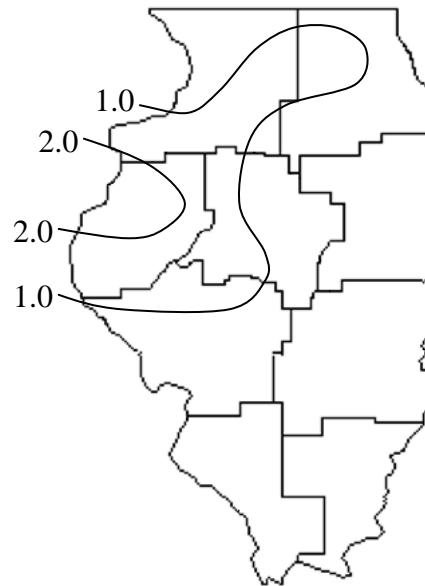
District	Corn Planted	Corn Emerged	Soybeans Planted	Soybeans Emerged
June 5				
Northwest	99	96	91	72
Northeast	99	94	80	55
West	100	97	91	77
Central	99	94	86	70
East	99	91	81	42
W Southwest	98	91	79	61
E Southeast	95	77	71	43
Southwest	83	57	45	8
Southeast	88	76	51	18
State	98	90	78	53

Weather Information Table

District	Temperature		Precipitation		Growing Degree Days	
	Average	Departure	Total	Departure	Since May 1	Departure
May 30 - June 5						
Northwest	72.8	6.8	0.90	0.15	488	18
Northeast	72.5	7.2	1.14	0.36	456	10
West	75.1	7.2	2.05	1.16	547	25
Central	75.0	7.1	0.82	-0.03	539	21
East	75.5	7.7	0.50	-0.39	528	16
W Southwest	77.3	8.5	0.68	-0.25	579	23
E Southeast	78.5	9.3	0.16	-0.91	590	28
Southwest	79.7	9.7	0.00	-1.05	627	34
Southeast	80.0	9.6	0.06	-1.02	639	38
State	76.1	8.1	0.71	-0.21	551	23



Temperature (°F) Departure
May 30 - June 5



Precipitation (in.) Total
May 30 - June 5

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